Home Health Agency Patient Profile: Dekalb

Total Client Profile

	<u>2002</u>	<u>2003</u>	<u>2004</u>
Total Home Health Agency Clients	485	559	540
Average Visits of Medical Treatment per Client	23.7	16.6	20.7
Total Number of Home Health Agencies Serving Clients Residing in This County	12	13	14
Number of Agencies Located in This County	1	1	1

Additional Profile Based on Agency Reports Located in This County

		Percent of All Clients		
		<u>2002</u>	2003	2004
By Gender	percent of Females	58.6%	65.6%	65.4%
	percent of Males	41.4%	34.4%	34.6%
By Age	percent under 25 years	4.5%	5.3%	10.9%
	percent from 25 to 64 years	19.1%	18.8%	22.7%
	percent over 65 years	76.4%	75.9%	66.4%

Admitted for	home health service from inpatient hospital stay	15.4%	44.9%	15.2%
	from referral by family physician	61.3%	34.8%	75.1%
	from other sources	23.3%	20.3%	9.7%
For Treatment	of circulatory problems	3.2%	1.8%	12.3%
	of musculoskeletal problems	15.6%	16.0%	4.7%
	of respiratory problems	15.6%	16.0%	5.2%
	of endocrine problems	1.8%	1.8%	6.4%
	of other medical problems	75.2%	67.3%	71.2%
Reimbursed	by Medicare	72.0%	70.6%	63.3%
	by Medicaid	5.5%	5.9%	9.2%
	by Commercial Insurance	14.4%	13.1%	19.9%
	by self or other third party payers	8.1%	10.4%	7.6%
Discharged	from home health agency, and residing in the client's residence, when treatment is completed	62.5%	73.2%	74.3%
	from home health service and in need of additional medical treatment, to other health care organizations	37.5%	26.8%	25.7%
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